IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFF

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

MICHAEL GIESING, ET AL.

SERIAL No.: 09/485,879

GROUP ART UNIT: 1634

EXAMINER: Jeanine Anne Goldberg

EILED: June 22, 2000

METHOD FOR THE CHARACTERIZATION OF DISSEMINATED AND MICROMETASTASIZED ATTY. REFERENCE: GIES3003

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication/amendment in the above-identified application.

Small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is claimed.

No additional fee is required.

The fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below:

Fee Basis	Number of Claims After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Small Entity	Full Fee
Total Claims		1	= 3	× \$ 25 =	× \$ 50 =
Independent Claims		- 2	= 3	× \$100 =	× \$ 200 =
☐ First Presentation of Proper Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$180 =	+ \$360 =
			TOTAL		None

¹ If less than 20 enter 20.

	Please charge my Deposit Account Number 02-0200 in the amount of A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
X	A check in the amount of \$ 225.00 is attached. (Check No. 45626)
X	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including fees due under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 02-0200 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Also enclosed is/are: Petition for Extension of Time.

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DATE:

November 15, 2005

Respectfully submitted,

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² If less than 3 enter 3.

³ If less than 0 enter 0.